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ALLOWED TO FIRMS, CORPORATIONS, and INDIVIDUALS ON DAILY BALANCES.

SUBJECT TO CHECK.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST COMPANY,

FOURTH AND PINE STREETS.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Egg and Butter Quotations.

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New potatees were quiet and steady at unchanged prices. Receipts are gradually increasing, but the demand keeps pase with the supply, and prices are steady.

Sweet potatoes were dull and slow. Offerings were moderate, but there was only a limited demand and the feeling was easier.

Kale and spinach were dull and slow, with offerings of home grown ample for the demand. Cabbage was duil, but prices were somewhat firmer. Offerings of old stock were moderate and choice new cabbage was scarce. Receipts were light and the demand about equal to the supply.

Lemons were steady and unchanged. Offerings were moderate, but ample for the demand. Other fruits were quiet and unchanged. Live poultry was quiet and steady. Receipts were light, but the demand was not active and prices were steady. Young hens and spring chickens sold readily, but old, heavy or rough stock was dull and slow. Light hen turkeys also sold fairly well, but old toms were not wanted. Ducks were quiet and steady, and geese were dull and slow.

Dressed poultry was dull and slow. Only choice iced stock, undrawn, with head and feet on, was wanted, but receipts were light. Light hens were in best demand, but stale or heavy stock, or old roosters were slow of sale. Turkeys were quiet, but choice light hens were salable. Ducks and geese were quiet and unchanged.

Veals were dead dull. Considerable stock was carried over from Friday, and offerings were heavy. There was practically no demand, however.

Game was dull and slow at unchanged prices. Receipts were light.

Eggs.

Dairy Products.

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Butter—The market was steady and unchanged Saturday. Receipts light and stock also light. Quotations: Creamery—Extra 21c, firsts 18@ 19c; seconds 16@17c. Dairy—Extra 16@17c; firsts 14@15c; grease 4c. Packing stock 14c for good to 8c for poor. Ladle-packed—Extra 19 fisc; firsts 12@13c. Roll—8c for good to 13c for choice.

Cheese—Quote: Twins 11%c; singles 11%c; Y. A. 13c; New York 12c; Limburger 12%@13c; Swiss 14@15c; brick 12%@13c.

Furs.

Round lots are selling as follows: Raccoon at 25640c; mink at 30650c; skuns at 15630c; operasum at 7615c; wild cat at 10620c; civet cat at 10 615c; house cat at 10c; badger at 5625c; red fox at 25675c; gray fox at 20640c; otter at 50c635; beaver at 3167; wolf at 30650c—timber at 50c631; muskrat at 5610c.

Hides.

Texas receipts, round 13c;

| Missouri & Illinois | Med. clothing. 11% 618 | Braid and lew.15 615% | Burry and clear mixed | 14 618 | Light fine | 14 615 | Bilghtly burry 12 614 | Heavy fine | 11 615 | Dark | 15 615% | Dark | 16 615 | Dark | 17 615 | Dark | 18 615% | Dark | 19 615 | Dark | 19

Black and sandy from 4c to 6c per lb. lem. Miscellaneous Markets.

bottoms 314c.

CASTOR BEANS—Bid \$1.30 per bu, for prime in car lots; small lots and inferior less.

LINSEED OIL—57@58c per gal.

HEMPSEED—Latest sale at \$2.30 per 100 bs.

HEMPSEED—Latest sale at \$2.50 per 190 hs.
pure test.

ORIED FRUIT—Quote: Apples—Evaporated—
Rings at \$1/2 to 4c, quarters at 3c to 4c, chops
at 4/6/3c, peelings at 4/2c. Sun-dried—Quarters
at 36/3/4c for good—inferior less. Peaches—Fancy
cvaporated unpeeled halves at 4c and sun-dried
at 1c to 1/4c per 1b.

DRIED GREEN PEASE—Jobbing from store at
\$1.25; Scotch \$1.30; split \$1.40.

WHITE BEANS—Hand-picked pea beans in a
jobbing way from store at \$2.03/2.05 per bu.;
screened at \$26/2.03 per bu. Country at \$16/1.50
Lima beans at 64/67c per 1b.

MOSS—Quote: Gray and brown mixed at 29
24/c; gray and brown and black mixed at 24/2.

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BOND CALL-Office People's Railway Company, St. Louis, March 30, 1901: Notice is hereby given to all holders of bonds and of interest coupons thereto belonging, issued by the People's Railway Company under date of May I. 1858 (commonly known as "Second Mortgage Bonds"), and consisting of 32 bonds of \$1,000 each, that, under and by virtue of the right of rademption before maturity reserved in said bonds and in the deed of trust securing payment of the same all of said bonds, and all interest then accrued and remaining unpaid thereon, will be redesimed and fully paid at the St. Louis Trust Company, northwest corner of Fourth and Locus; streets, in the City of St. Louis, No., on the first day of May, 190, upon the presentation

CLOSED HIGHER

Advancing With Chicago.

WHEAT—July opened 1-16c lower at 68% @3%c and quickly sold back to 68%c. For May 70%c was bid, but opening sales at 70%. @%c. The bugs were the whole thing eventually and during the balance of the session. Samples of the crop from Southeast Missouri, showing the insect, which to all appearances was the louse, and its evil effect, was an object lesson that had a decided influence, and these stories from different points of bug and bug damage. It was feared, too, that growing weather might reveal enough damage to start a crop scare. There was no news from down, but it wasn't needed. Shorts wanted out, and they got out, paying as high as 71% of or May and 69% of July. The close to was at the top. Cash market—Received 774 was at the top. Cash market—Received 774 sks. and 14 cars local. Little offering and demand very limited; market strong. No sales from store. By sample No. 2 red sold this side at 746-4c and for E. side 744-4c bid and refused. No. 3 red quotable at 7146-6c lid and refused. No. 3 red quotable at 7146-6c lid and refused. No. 2 hard sold at 714-6c for yellow belly and 724-6c spot and to arrive for Turkey; No. 3 hard worth 70671-4c.

CORN—Fine weather and advices that the country was selling more freely had more effect that light receipts and a 3-4d higher Liverpool, especially as the manipulated market—Chicago—was lower. May sold 3-6c lower at 42-4c and July at 42-4c to 42-3c. The market raillied from its early weakness, Phillips taking hold of the Chicago market and turning it upward, and this, with the strength in wheat, brought in such buying that May, which is in strongest demand, and sold up to 43-4c, and July had 42-3c bid. At close May offered at 43-4c and for July 42-5c bid. Cash market—Receipts 1.536 sks. and 11 cars local and 3 cars through. Strong, with mixed higher. Offerings very small. No. 2 and No. 3 sold at 43-4c and No. 2 yellow at 44c delivered E. side, No. 3 white had 44-4c bid and held at 45-5c, No. 3 white selling at 44-5c. Snap corn brought 42c. On Levee, white sold at 44-4c.

bran offering near-by mills east of this market.

HAY—Received, 286 tons local and 220 tons through: shipped, 361 tons. Steady and firm for the best grades and dull for lower qualities. Current rates on trk. for timothy, \$14 (914.50 for choice, \$12.50@13.50 for No. 1, \$11@ 12 for No. 2, \$3.50@10.50 for No. 3: prairie \$19@11 for No. 1, \$39@10 for No. 2, \$3@8.50 for No. 3. Clover \$3@13.

LEAD AND SPELTER—Strong for spelter, which has \$3.80 bid spot and forward deliveries and held above that. Lead firm at \$4.23\forall bid for chemical hard and soft Missouri.

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OATS—Futures were strengthened by corn and wheat, as weather fine and receipts good. May sold at 25%c to 25%c. July had 25c bid, and Sept. offered at 24%c. Cash market—Received, 40 sks. and 33 cars local. Dull. as most buyers holding off for Monday. No. 2 sold at 28c, as bid choice No. 3 but ordinary No. 3 not worth over 27%c; No. 2 Northern at 25%c. No. 2 white held at 30c and unsold. No. 3 white sold at 28c, cash id choice No. 2 but ordinary No. 3 not worth over 27%c; No. 2 Northern at 25%c. No. 2 white held at 30c and unsold. No. 3 white sold at 28c, cash id choice No. 2 but ordinary No. 3 not worth over 27%c; No. 2 Northern at 25%c. No. 2 white held at 30c and unsold. No. 3 white sold at 28c, cash id choice No. 2 Northern at 25%c. No. 2 white held at 30c and unsold. No. 3 white sold at 25%c, and No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 30c and unsold. No. 3 white sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 25%c. No. 2 at 26%c. Support the sold at 25%c. And No. 4 white at 32.30 in bbls.

CORNMEAL—City f. o. b., 32.30, and pearl meal, grits and hominy, \$2.50.

MILLIFEED—Quiet, as offerings very small. Bran salable for prompt shipment at 71c E. and 74c f. o. b., this side, but best for April shipment E. trk. 70c. Mixed feed in large sks. sold at 71½c E. trk., and in small sks. at 73c E. side mill. At mill bran 75677c, and ships 80c. Considerable bulk bran offering near-by mills east of this market.

Local Fruit, Vegetable, Poultry, of-the-week lack of demand and receipts were fairly heavy. The total trade was well supplied and shippers were inclined to hold off until Potatoes were dull and slow, but fancy smooth Northern eating varieties were in limited demand and prices were very steady. There was no demand for common and inferior stock however, and offerings were large. Offerings of nearby grown stock were also fairly heavy, but there was little demand. Seed variities were dead dull.

ON SHORTS COVERING.

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Strawberries were firm, in good demand and higher. Receipts were light and the berries were generally of good quality and in good condition. Soft and leaky stock was not wanted.

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Emons were steady and unchanged. Offerings were moderate, but ample for the demand.

Other fruits were quiet and steady. Fancy fruit Country Bacon—Quote prime meats: Sides at Country Bacon—Quote shoulders at 5½C shoulders at 5

CAUDIFIONER-41.1052.22 per 80. Box for home-grown.
TOMATOES-Florida* at \$102 for small to medium and \$2.2562.50 for fancy large per 6-basket crate. Mexican \$1.2561.35 per crate.
EGGPLANT-Quote Florida at \$202.50 for small \$2.7563 for choice per 1½-bu. crate.
STRING BEANS-Choice round green Florida at \$3 per bu. box; \$2.50 for wax. Mexican \$3.250 2.75 for round. Texas flat green 75c per 1½-bu. basket.

SAUERKHAUT—Quote: Bullet at \$2.

SWEET POTATOES—Stendy, Quote home-grown Bermuda at \$5c, yellow at 40% for and red Nansemond at 50c per bu, loose and at \$1.50 per bbl, for Bermuda and \$1.76 for Nansemond on HOUSERADISH—Quote borbhi.

ASPARAGUS—At \$162.25 per doz. bunches for home-grown; \$1.102.20 per doz. hand bunches for Texas.

SPANISH ONIONS—Quote at \$1.50 per crate.
MUSHROOMS—Duil at 25625c per lb.

LETTUCE—New Orleans choice \$2.50; poor \$2.50; box loose. bbl. KALE—Home-grown 21-25c per bu. box. Consignments not wanted.

RADISHES—Louisiana choice long red at 602 RADISHES—Louisiana choice long red at 602 RADISHES—Louisiana choice long red at 602 cans choice, bbl. lots 25230c per doz, bunches. Held stock less, Arkansas 15230c; Mississippi 15 20c per doz, bunches.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Quotable at 20225c per mart

black and brown do The black mixed at 24cc; picked—N at 35c. XXX at 54c; picked—Sc. And the black of the black

Provisions.

Pork—New standard continued steady at \$15.75
In a jobbing way.

Lard—Choice steam E, side steady and unchanged at \$675c.

Green Hams, Etc.—In car lots f. o. b. E. side dull and weak; Hams—10-av, at 19c; 12s at \$5c; 14s at 95c; 18s and 18s at 19c; 20s at 19c

lib., as in kind; tongues 144c per lb.

Poultry, Game and Veals.

LIVE POULTRY—Chickens—Average receipts, hens \$1/679c; roosters, old or staggy young, 4c; broilers, 2 lbs. and under, 14c. Turkeys—Light hens se; heavy young toms 7c; coarse old toms 5c. Ducks 2c. Gesse (top for full-feathered) 3656.

Tame live pigeons, per 60x., \$1.50. Spring chickens selling at from \$2.25 a dox, for light to 34 a dox, for those weighing from 1½ t 1½ lbs. By weight, 25c a lb.

DRESSED POULTRY—lead stock, scalded and undrawn, with head and legs on:
Chickens—Average run 2c; roosters 4½c. Turkeys—Light hens 16c; heavy toms 768c. Ducks 16c. All poor stock, including sour, sweating, thin, scrawny, etc., nominal, GAME—Snipe at \$1.50 per dox, for large, 7ce for medium and 55/24c for small.

VEALS—Choice fat at 5c per 1b.; heretics, rough, small and thin, 36724c.

ROASTING PIGS—Quotable at from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per head, as to size.

Fruits and Vegetables.

APPLES—Quote: Baldwin at \$3.50/25.60 for No. 1 and feavy, \$1.756/25 for No. 2 damaged and off and for the control of the control

basket.
ONIONS—Quote sound red globe at 3c per lb.
del., yellow \$1.50 per bu. del. Soft, skinned,
small and Inferior nominally less.
CUCUMBERS—New Orleans quotable at \$10
1.25 per doz., \$4.50 per crate.
GUMBO—Quote Florida at \$203.50 per 6-basket
crate. PEPPERS-Choice Florida at \$1.59@1.75 per 6-PEPPERS—Choice Florida at \$1.50@1.75 per 6-basket crate.

NEW POTATOES—Quote Bermuda at \$6@7 per bbi.; Florida triumphs \$2.50@3 per bu.

BEETS—Quote New Orleans at 25c per doz. for large and 20c for small bunches. Old at 30c per bbl. Orders higher.

CARROTS—Quote New Orleans at 25c per doz. bunches. Home-grown at 50c per bu. loose. On orders, \$1.50 per bbl. of per bbl. TURNIPS—New Orleans (new) quiet at 25@20c per doz. bunches. Old home-grown sell 50@50c per bbl. for unwashed; washed at 40c per bu. loose; Southern not wanted.

SCHIRABI—Choice large New Orleans at 20@50c per doz. bunches.

SPINACH—Home-grown 10@15c per bu. loose; Southern not wanted.

SHALLOTS—New Orleans not wanted, as home-grown are plentiful.

PARSLEY—New Orleans curly quotable at 15@50c per doz. according to size of bunches.

RUTABAGAS—Steady. Quotable at 25c per bu. in bulk. Orders \$1.40 per bbl.

SAUERKRAUT—Quote; Bbls. at 34; half bbls. at \$2.

SWEET POTATOES—Steady. Quota home-

bunches.
GREEN PEASE-\$1.50@2.25 per bu. for New Orleans; Mississippi \$2.50 per bu.
NEW ONIONS-New Orleans \$1.25 bu. box.
LEEKS-Sold at 25c a dox.

Natives Scarce and Higher-Texans

transacted on this side of the cattle yards was on a consignment of mileh cows, which were readily negotiated at steady prices. The trade clones with a perfect clearance so far as the commission interests are concerned, and the only cattle remaining in the yards are about 29 head of stockers in dealers' and speculators' hands, which are mainly plain to inferior, lightwelpht classes. Heavy beef steers figure strong, compared with a week ago, dressed and butcher kinds 10c higher, medium to best butcher cows and helfers a dirac better, the most desirable stockers and feeders strong, but all others slow and 15g20c lower, vent catves \$1 per 109 off, buils firm to higher, and mileh cows on equally as good a busis as any time this year.

Southern Cattle—The last day of the week was an ext.emely quiet one in the quarantine pens, not an animal being offered for sale. Receipts have been small all week, numbering 16; cars, which is perfectly natural at this period of the year, being, as it is, the fag to of fed season, and a little too early for a laterial movement of grassers. Values have shown a strong tendency, but did not advance to any quotable extent.

HOGS—The hog market opened with about an of grassers. Values have shown a strong tendency, but did not advance to any quotable extent.

HOGS—The hog market opened with about an
average Saturday supply on sale, and the quality was reasonably good. A good demand prevalled and trading from the short was neitlye on
the best hogs at prices about 5c lower than Friday morning or nearly stead; with the close on
Friday. As the day advanced the market weakened and the close was very slow and dull, with
a few loads remaining ansold. Butchers were
strong competitors with the packers for the good
hogs and paid \$5.90 to \$6.05 for fair to good hogs
weighing 211 to 24c lbs. Good lights were in demand, but coamnon ones sold irregular and very
slow. The main drove of packers bought by
Nelson Morris & Co., \$87 head averaged 212 lbs.
and cost \$5.59, and the main drove bought by
\$80 wift & Co., \$1.25 head, averaged 217 lbs, and cost
\$5.85. The top of the market was \$6.10, and the
bulk of the hogs above 150 lbs, av. sold at \$5.85
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\$5.25 to \$6.05 the bulk at \$5.35 to \$5.50; heavy culls
at \$4.55 to \$5.50; the bulk at \$6.35 to
\$5.90 and common to fair mixed lots at \$4.75 to \$5.50
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DRESSE Protect and less on:

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GAME Shipe at 11.50 per doz.; sandpipers at 155. Frog-less quotable at 11.60 per doz.

Soc. Frog-less quotable at 11.60 per doz.

Tozih, small and thin, 3624c.

ROASTING PIGS Quotable at from 31.50 to 31.75 per head, as to size.

Pruits and Vegetables.

APPLES—Quote: Raidwin at 31.509pt.50 for No. 1.

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STRAWURRHIES—Quote: Florida in refrigerator carriers sold mainly at 25930c for average to 35c a quart for lancy: Texas from 33.59pt half crate.

ORANGES—Quote car lots California sound on trk: Pancy navels at 12.75; choice do, at 12.20 per half crate.

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Gross shipments to-day 944
Gross shipments since Sept. 1 776,982
Stock on hand 72,528
Spot Cotton Market.

Memphis-Steady at 8 1-16c; receipts 164 bales. By Telegraph.

Memphls—Steady at 51-16c; receipts 164 bales.

By Telegraph.

New York, April 20.—The cotton market opened firm, with prices 5g7 points higher on general buying, led by shorts and European exports, trading for the most part this morning was 6g3 points above last night's, with sentiment strongly influenced by bullish Liverpool cables, smaller receipts Southers that demand for an weather reports. The English market was personably to come 1/g points higher, but few traders looked for a net rise of 1½ to 2 points in futures, and a gain of 1-32d in spot cotton abroad. Private cables attributed the firmness to had weather reports, the smaller receipts, and belief that summer market. Wall street and several empty thouse were supporters of the July option. Rozen traders sold cautiously for a reaction. However, thouse were supporters of the July option. Rozen traders sold cautiously for a reaction. Rozen traders sold cautiously for a reaction. However, and there was complaint. By 19:30 o'clock the market was of complaint. By 19:30 o'clock the market was of several points from the top under profit taking and increased rumors of a sharp decline. Whereas early trade plants from the top under profit taking and increased rumors of the sharp decline. Whereas early trade plants from the top under profit taking and increased rumors of the same standard taking and increase of activity on the Stead taking and increase of

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closed 48%c, Sept. closed 48%c. Onts-Receipts 8.5%; experts 19.269, spot steady No. 2 28%c; No. 2 20%c; No. 2 white 22%gu3c; No. 3 white 12%gu3c; No. 2 white 12%gu3c; Options quiet and steady. Hay steady, Hops quiet. Coal steady. Bert firm. Cut meats steady. Land duil; Western steamed \$5.5%; refined steady. Fork steady. Butter steady; fresh creamery 13%gu3c; State dairy 18%18c. Cheese steady; fancy large colored 11%1%c; fancy large white 10%gu3c. Harey small colored 12%14c; fancy small white 11%gu3c. Eggs steady; State and Fennsylvania 14c; Southern 13%13%c; Western storage 14%c; Western regular packed 14%15c. Taillow quiet: city 4%gu3c; country 4%gu3c. Cotton-seed oil quiet; prime crude 34c; do, yellow 35%gu3c. H. April 20.—Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; winter patents \$3.80% 1.30; straights \$4.20%2.0; clears \$2.60%3.6c; spring specials 14%4.0; patents \$1.45%4.5c; straights \$2.50c; lakers \$2.15%2.5c. Wheat—No. 3 spring \$98%gu3c; No. 2 red 70%gu3c. Corn—No. 2 44c; No. 2 vellow 44c. Onts—No. 2 25%gu3c. No. 2 white 25%gu3c. No. 3 white 27%gu3c. Corn—No. 2 44c; No. 2 vellow 44c. Onts—No. 2 25%gu3c. Corn—No. 2 46c; No. 3 white 27%gu3c. Flaxaseed—No. 1 \$1.5%; No. 1 Northwestern 31.59. Timothy seed—Prime \$3.5. No. 1 Northwestern 31.59. Timothy seed—Prime \$3.5. No. 2 white 25%gu3c; short clear sides (boxd.) \$3.25%gu3c. Short clear sides (boxd.) \$3.25%gu

Northern 661/2701/c. Corn 411/c; May 42c. Oats 266254/c.
Milwaukee, Wis., April 20.—Wheat firm; No. 1 Northern 73674c; No. 2 Northern 71672c. Rye steady; No. 1 54c. Barley dull; No. 2 57c; sample 40654c.
Toledo, O., April 20.—Wheat dull and firm; cash 74c; May 741/c; July 74c. Corn steady; cash May and July 411/c. Oats quiet and steady; cash 274/c; May and July 261/c. Rye 52c. Clover seed, moderately active and firm; cash and prime \$6.60; Oct. \$5.25. Oil unchanged.

Market Closed for the Week With a

New York, April 21.—Dressed poultry—Receipts Saturday were 424 okgs. Receipts included a few lots of fowls from the Southwest and were offered at 2019/jc, but demand for week was over and they will be carried over to next week. Advices don't indicate much increase in receipts and the market is closing with a steady tone. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

nar Silver. New York. April 20.—Bar silver 60c. London, April 20.—Bar silver strong, 37%d.

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Petroleum.

New York. April 29.—Petroleum dull.
Oil City. Pa.. April 29.—Credit balances 31.29; certificates no bid. No runs or shipments reported.

Bremen, April 29.—Petroleum 6m 75 pfgs.

Turpentine and Rosin.

New York. April 29.—Rosin dull. Turpentine firm, 33%4395c.
Savannah. April 29.—Spirits turpentine firm, 31%c. Rosin firm.

London, April 29.—Rosin—Fine 7s 6d.

Sugar.

London, April 20.—Beet sugar 9s.

Coffee.

New York, April 20.—Coffee—Spot Rio exy; mild dull. Futures opened steady, unchanged to 5 points higher in sympathy with a steadler rating of European markets and on light profit taking. The improvement did not hold, however, the room trade being bearishly influenced by large receipts and lower markets in the crop country, and an easier turn of the spot coffee market. Later foreign selling became something of a factor. Trading was comparatively tame, and chefily for professional account. The closing was barely steady, with prices net unchanged. Total sules were 16,500 bales, including May at 5,55c; July 5,75c; Sept. 5,256; 40c; Ort. 5,4065,45c; Dec. 5,60c; March 5,80c; Sec. Metal Market.

Metal Market.

New York, April 20. Owing to the heavy arrivals of tin during the last week bearish convictions predominate, and to-day the market was depressed, with buyers holding off in anticipation of further concessions in price. As a consequence trading was light. The nominal close was about \$25. Lead inactive and unchanged. Spelter oulet and steady at \$464.65. Copper quiet and unchanged. Iron markets rulled dull at yesterday's figures. Hiden and Leather,

New York, April 20.—Wool quiet.
London, April 21.—The arrivals of wool for the fourth series of auction sales amount to 182.739 bales, including 18,509 forwarded direct.
The imports of wool during the past week were: New South Wales 22,372; Melbourne 14,906; South Australia 2,339; Queensland 4,247; Launceston 5,118; New Zealand 9,399; Cape of Good Hope and Natal 570; Singapore 1,289; Hamburg 859; Havre 983; elsewhere 301. Dried Fruits.

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New York, April 29.—Evaporated apples quiet;
State common 324c; prime 44-64%c; choice 5-65%c
and fancy 6464c. California dried fruits quiet.
Prunes 34-643c. Apricots—Royal 74-643c; Moor
Park 85-643c. Peaches—Peeled 125-650c; unpeeled
54-6610c. Minneapolis Flour. Minneapolis, Minn., April 29. — Wheat—Cash 11%c; May 70%c; July 72%c; on trk. No. 1 hard 25%c; No. 1 Northern 71%c; No. 2 Northern 68% 665%c. Flour—First patents 33.5563.95; second patents 32.9563.05; second clears 3262.10. Bran— In bulk \$12212.50.

Chicago Poultry Quotations.
Chicago, April 29.—Poultry firm; chickens 10
10c; turkeys 8210½c.
Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

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New York, April 20.—Butter—Receipts 2.001
pkgs.: steady at the decline; fresh creamery 15-30
30c: factory 11-612½c. Cheese—Receipts 1.579
pkgs.; steady; fancy large colored 11-611½c; do.
white 10½-611c; fancy colored 12-612½c; do. white
11½-6212c. Eggs. 14-611½c for Western regular
packing; storage Western 14½c; Southern at
mark 11-613½c; receipts 11,621 pkgs.

Kansas City, Mo., April 20.—Eggs firm; fresh
Missouri and Kansas stock 11c doz., loss off.
cases returned; new whitewood cases included
½c more.

Bry Goods.

New York, April 20.—The demand for try goods has been of ordinary proportions on home account. Businees still doing for export. Heavy brown sheetings and drills up to 325 yards steady, four yards weak and irregular. In bleached cotton and coarse colored goods business is dull and unchanged. No new feature in prints or ginghams. American cotton yarns steadler for weaving varieties, but hosiery yarns weak. Woolen and worsted yarns dull and irregular. Linen yarns firm.

Bank of Spain's Report.

Madrid, April 21.—The report of the Bank of Spain for the week ended Saturday shows the following: Gold in hand, increase 2,000 pesetas; notes in circulation, decreased 1.535,000 pesetas; gold was quoted yesterday at 25.57.

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Berlin.

May to 20 per cent, the present upon the ing 10.

The comments of the German press upon the British export duty on coal continues lively, the general conclusion being that the duty will react harmfully upon English coal, to the devantage of the German and American trade. The iron market reports are contradictory.

The wholesale dealers in Berlin have made another advance in prices. The wire and nail syndicate reports that domestic business is better. Fisk, and particularly blames Mr. Hill, observing:

"Mr. Hill is responsible for purchasing the road at the present inflated value of the stuck, because he controls 500,000 shares, which he and his allies bought up cheap, and are now selling to the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads at an enormous profit to themselves, but to the disadvantage of the purchasing lines. The basis of the exchange of Burlianton stock for the Great Northern and Northern Pacific bonds involves a heavy overcapitalization of the former,"

REPUBLIC SPECIALS.

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Cairo, Ill., April 21.—The river commenced rising slowly Sunday. The gauge reads \$5.8 feet, a rise of .1 of a foot. The City of St. Louis, with a fair trip, consisting of sugar, molawes and sundries, from New Orleans, passed up for \$1. Louis at 10 o'clock Saturday night. The City of Pittsburg, having added liberally here, departed at 19:20 p. m. for Memphis with a fair trip. The Raymond Horner got away for Louisville at 9 o'clock last night with a tow of empties, which she brought from New Orleans. The Jacob Richman, from the Lower Mississippi, with twabarges of railroad ties, a-rived at 5 a. m. and departed, after coaling, for Joppa at 2 a. m. Insertitz, from the Lower Mississippi, arrived at \$2.0 m. She will make some slight repairs, and leave for the South Monday morning. The Rees Lee, from Memphis, with a moderate trip, consisting of lumber, staves and sundries, arrived at 2:20 p. m. She did a light business here, and departed for St. Louis at 3:45 p. m. The Peters Lee arrived at 4 a. m. from St. Louis with a fair trip. She discharged here a few sundries, added lightly and departed for Memphis, arrived at 6 p. m. with a light trip, consisting of staves, heading and sundries. She coaled, and departed for Cincinnati at 7 p. m. Weather is clear and cold; a high wind prevails, which causes steamboats to make slow headway.

Burlington, Ia., April 11.—The river is 7 feet 8 inches, a rise of 1 inch since last report. Weather clear and cooler. The Eloise down.

Memphis, Tenn., April 21.—The river here stands 25.3 feet on the gauge, a full of .2 of a foot in the last 24 hours. The Lacille Nowland arrived this morning from Arkansas River and returns Tuesday evening. No arrivais or departures of transient steamers Sunday. Receipts by the local packets Sunday were 59 belies cotton.

Paducah, Ky., April 21.—The gauge reads 31.5 feet, and rising slowly, but will increase by morning. Stiff wind continues to blow from the north, causing much delay to the local packets. Weather cold and disagreeable. Joe

of a foot in the last 24 hours. Weather clear and cool.

Chester, Ill., April 21.—River falling; gauge is, a feet. Weather clear. Boats up: Anderson, left for St. Louis at 6 a. m.: City of Memphis at Il:30 a. m. Columbia departed at Il:20 p. m. City of St. Louis at 5 p. m. Chester and Grey Eagle due up. Boats down: Chester at 2:30 p. m. Columbia arrived at midnight. Beaves by at 10 a. m. Oakland and 4 barges at 10:30 a. m. Tender in and out on time.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., April 21.—The Gray Eagle up at 8 o'clock last night, and Peters Lee down at 10:30 p. m. The Chester down at 6 a. m., returning at 10 a. m. The City of St. Louis up at 7 a. m. Rees Lee due up. River falling. Weather clear, with cold, high winds.

WHIPPED TWO ROBBERS.

Aged Carpenter, Used a Mallet With Telling Effect.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Selinsgrove, Pa., April 21.-David Don baugh of this place, an aged carpenter, had a thrilling encounter with robbers. Mr. Dunbaugh, who lives alone, was mend

his clothes when two masked men thrust revolvers against his head and demanded money.

Mr. Dunbaugh seized a wooden mailet a dealt one of the robbers a blow which fell him. Then he hit the other. Both robbers a after scrambling to their feet.